### **SNOW REMOVAL**

With winter approaching, we want to remind residents that city ordinance prohibits the following during snowstorm events.

1. Parking any vehicle, trailer, boat or other item on any city right of way when the removal of snow from streets is apparent or imminent or when deemed necessary by the city or sheriff.

2. Placing any objects in the city right of way such as dumpsters, basketball standards or other objects that would impair snow removal. (Garbage cans are an exception, but should be removed within 10 hours after garbage has been collected.)

Main Roads or arterial streets are plowed first. Secondary and residential routes are plowed as time and storm duration permits. Cul-de-sacs and dead end roads are plowed last.

Keep in mind that any person who fails to comply with these requirements may be issued a warning and if the violation continues for 24 hours a citation will be issued. Additionally, vehicles or times in the city right of way illegally may be removed under the direction of the sheriff's office.

### **WASTE WATER**

Have you ever heard of salting a field? How about salting a river?

Even though "salting a river" isn't a real phrase, the effects created by salt are just as harmful to our rivers, streams, lakes, and groundwater as they are to a field. However, unlike a field, our water cannot recover from these side effects. This accumulation and persistence of chloride from salt constantly poses a risk to water quality and the plants, animals, and humans who depend upon it.

It is important to keep our walkways safe from slippery ice, but let's all do our part to limit our impact on our streams, lakes, rivers, and groundwater. We can do this by limiting the amount of salt used on our sidewalks, driveways, and parking lots.

For more information on the side effects of excess salt on our environment, see link below or scan the QR Code for a quick 2-minute video of how you can help keep our water safe for everyone.

https://www.des.nh.gov/organization/ divisions/water/wmb/was/salt-reductioninitiative/impacts.htm



# **MAYOR'S MESSAGE**

This time of year we gather together with family and loved ones. We give thanks for the many blessings we have, give gifts to those we care for, and look forward to the beginning of a new year.

At this time, I would like to give thanks for the gift you have given me of serving as your mayor. Hooper holds a very special place in my heart. I love to look out on the same frost covered fields I grew up working in as a young boy and reminisce about simpler times. These fields have become more and more rare over the years. While there is a sadness that comes with that realization. there is also the reminder that what makes Hooper the wonderful place it is, doesn't come from a field or a farm. What makes Hooper so special is you- the people who live here. Although many changes are happening around us, we don't have to change. We can continue waving to each other as we pass by. We can continue serving our neighbors and watching out for each other. We can continue welcoming newcomers and showing them by example why this is the best place on earth to put down roots and call home. I've always liked the saying "Home is where your heart is", and my heart is in Hooper.

As we approach the beginning of a new year, my hope is that we can lift and strengthen each other, that we will not lose sight of what we have here, and that we will do all we can to work together to protect and preserve our home.

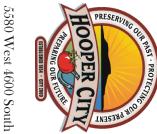
Thank you again for the support and friendship you have shown me during my term as mayor. It is an experience I will always treasure. I am optimistic for the future, and look forward to good things to come. See you around.

Your Friend,

Dale

# **CHRISTMAS TREE PICKUP**

Christmas tree pickup will be on January 12th. Please make sure trees are on the curb.



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# What's Happening In Hooper!

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2023 HOLIDAY SCAVENGER HUNT LIST	2023 MYSTERY ITEMS CLUES There's only one mystery item in the city for each clue. Look for the Hooper City Logo next to each mystery item so you know you found the right item.
<ul> <li>Nativity Scene</li> <li>Sleigh</li> <li>Gingerbread Man</li> <li>Candy Cane</li> <li>Angel</li> <li>Tree in Window</li> <li>Snowman</li> <li>Elf</li> <li>Red Lights</li> <li>Giant Present</li> <li>Poinsettia</li> <li>Snow Globe</li> <li>Nutcracker</li> <li>Blinking Lights</li> <li>Christmas Star</li> </ul>	Mystery Item #1 Clue         I have flippers but I'm not a fish         I can swim and dive underwater         I lay my eggs in the sand         But I live in saltwater         You can find me on 5300 West         Mystery Item #2 Clue         I'm not an alarm clock         but I wake you each morning         My wife lays the eggs         and I do the crowing         You can find me on 5725 South         Mystery Item #3 Clue         I nibble on grass         so you can have butter         Grass goes in one end
<ul> <li>House with lights timed to music</li> <li>Noel Sign</li> <li>Icicles</li> <li>The Grinch</li> <li>Blue Lights</li> <li>Giant Red Bow</li> <li>Wreath</li> <li>Snowflake</li> <li>Decorations that move</li> <li>House with only white lights</li> <li>Season's Greeting Sign</li> <li>Gingerbread House</li> <li>Reindeer</li> <li>Mrs. Clause</li> </ul>	and milk out the udder You can find me on 6300 West Mystery Item #4 Clue I am a kid but I don't go to school I like to clime mountains It makes me look cool. You can find me on 7500 West Mystery Item #5 Clue This is a type of animal Which has a curly tail It gives us tasty bacon And a boar is the male You can find me on 4000 South

